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AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 13th of *February*, 1795.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in this present Session of Parliament, intituled, "An Act "for enabling His Majesty to prohibit the Exporta- "tion and permit the Importation of Corn, and "for allowing the Importation of other Articles of "Provision for a limited Time without Payment of "Duty," it is enacted, That from and after the passing of the said Act, and until the Expiration of Six Weeks from the Commencement of the next Session of Parliament, it shall and may be lawful for His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, and he and they is and are thereby authorized, with the Advice of His or Their Privy Council, whatever may be the general Average Price of Wheat, Rye, Barley, Beer or Bigg, Peaſe, Beans, Oats or Oatmeal, in England or Scotland respectively, from Time to Time, when and as often as the same shall be judged expedient, to prohibit generally, for a limited Time, the Exportation from England and Scotland respectively of any British or Foreign Wheat, Rye, Barley, Beer or Bigg, Peaſe, Beans, Oats, or any Meal or Flour, or Bread, Biscuit or Malt made thereof, or any Indian Corn or Maize, or Meal or Flour made thereof, and to permit generally the Importation into England or Scotland respectively of any Foreign Corn or other Articles as aforesaid, in any British Ship or Vessel, or in any other Ship or Vessel belonging to Persons of any Kingdom or State in Amity with His Majesty, and navigated in any Manner whatever, without Payment of any Duty whatsoever; and also the taking out of Warehouse, for Home Consumption, of any such Foreign Corn or other Articles as aforesaid, without Payment of any Duty whatsoever; and in like Manner to recal such Prohibition or Permission, either in Part or in the Whole, if Circumstances shall appear so to require, any Thing in an Act, passed in the 31st Year of His present Majesty's Reign, intituled, "An Act for regulating the Importation and Ex- "portation of Corn, and the Payment of the Duty "on Foreign Corn imported, and of the Bounty on "British Corn exported," and another Act passed in the 33d Year of His present Majesty's Reign, for amending the aforesaid Act, or in any other Act, or Part of any Act, to the contrary notwithstanding, subject, nevertheless, to the Provisoes therein mentioned, and herein after contained.

His Majesty thereupon, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, pursuant to the Powers given by the said Act, passed in this present Session of Parliament, has thought fit to order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the Date of this present Order, until the 30th Day of September next, no Person or Persons whatsoever shall export, or shall load or lay on Board any Ship or other Vessel with the Intent to export from any Port or Place of this Kingdom, any Wheat, Rye, Barley, Beer or Bigg, Peaſe, Beans, Oats, Indian Corn or Maize, or any Meal or Flour, or Bread, Biscuit or Malt made thereof.

His

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His Majeſty, nevertheleſs, by the Advice aforeſaid, hath thought fit to order, and it is hereby ordered, that nothing herein contained ſhall extend, or be conſtrued to extend, to prohibit the Exportation from this Kingdom of any Foreign Corn, Meal or Flour that ſhall have been imported and warehouſed in the Manner and on the Conditions mentioned in the before mentioned Act paſſed in the Thirty-firſt Year of His preſent Majeſty's Reign, and ſhall not have been taken out of ſuch Warehouſe for Home Conſumption, nor to prevent the carrying Coaſtwiſe, or carrying out, or the Exportation of the ſeveral Sorts of Corn, or other Articles as aforeſaid, from this Kingdom, for any of the Purpoſes mentioned in the ſaid Two Acts, paſſed in the Thirty-firſt and Thirty-third Years of His preſent Majeſty's Reign, or either of them, in like Manner, and in the ſame Proportions and Quantities, and from and to the ſame Ports and Places, as is allowed by the ſaid Two Acts paſſed in the 31ſt and 33d Years of His preſent Majeſty's Reign, or either of them, at ſuch Times as any of the ſeveral Sorts of Corn, or other Articles as aforeſaid, are prohibited to be exported, in conſequence of the Proviſions contained in the ſaid Two Acts, ſubject to the like Securities, Conditions, Regulations and Reſtrictions, Forfeitures and Penalties, as are by the ſaid Two Acts, or by either of them, in any ſuch Caſe, required or impoſed.

And His Majeſty, by and with the Advice aforeſaid, hath thought fit further to order, and it is hereby ordered, That from and after the Date of this preſent Order, until the 30th Day of September next, it ſhall be lawful to import into any Port or Place of this Kingdom, any Foreign Corn or other Articles as aforeſaid, in any Britiſh Ship or Veſſel, or in any other Ship or Veſſel, belonging to Perſons of any Kingdom or State in Amity with His Majeſty, and navigated in any Manner whatever, without Payment of any Duty whatſoever, and alſo to take out of Warehouſe, for Home Conſumption, any ſuch Foreign Corn or other Articles as aforeſaid, without Payment of any Duty whatſoever.

And the Right Honorable the Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury are to give the neceſſary Directions herein accordingly.

W. Fawkener.

AT the Court at St. *James's*, the 4th of *February*, 1795,

PRESENT,

The KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

WHEREAS there was this Day read at the Board a Repreſentation from the Right Honorable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council appointed for the Conſideration of all Matters relating to Trade and Foreign Plantations, dated the 29th of laſt Month, in the Words following, *viz.*

"*May it pleaſe your Majeſty*,

"THE Lords of the Committee being of Opinion "that it may be adviſeable for your Majeſty to allow the Importation into the Iſland of Newfoundland of Bread, Flour and Indian Corn, from any of "the Territories belonging to the United States of "America, for the Supply of the Inhabitants and "Fiſhermen of the ſaid Iſland, for the enſuing Sea- "ſon only, in like Manner as your Majeſty has "been pleaſed to permit ſuch Importation for the "Six preceding Years; their Lordſhips humbly take "Leave to lay herewith before your Majeſty the "Draught of an Order proper to be iſſued by your "Majeſty in Council, and a Warrant, under your "Majeſty's Sign Manual, to the Governor of Newfoundland, for the Purpoſe above mentioned."

His Majeſty, having taken the ſame into Conſideration, was pleaſed, with the Advice of His Privy Council, to approve of what is therein propoſed, and alſo of the Draught of the Order in Council, and of the Warrant to the Governor of Newfoundland, for the reſpective Purpoſes therein mentioned.

And His Majeſty doth hereby order, that his Grace the Duke of Portland, One of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, do prepare the ſaid Warrant (Copy whereof is hereunto annexed) to the Governor of Newfoundland, for His Majeſty's Royal Signature.

WHEREAS by an Act paſſed in the Twenty-eighth Year of the Reign of His preſent Majeſty, intituled, "An Act for regulating the Trade "between the Subjects of His Majeſty's Colonies "and Plantations in North America and in the "Weſt India Iſlands, and the Countries belonging "to the United States of America, and between "His Majeſty's ſaid Subjects and the Foreign Iſlands "in the Weſt Indies," it is, amongſt other Things, enacted, That it ſhall and may be lawful for His Majeſty in Council, by Order or Orders to be iſſued and publiſhed from Time to Time, to authorize, or by Warrant or Warrants, under His Sign Manual, to impower the Governor of Newfoundland for the Time being to authorize, in caſe of Neceſſity, the Importation into Newfoundland of Bread, Flour, Indian Corn, and Live Stock, from any of the Territories belonging to the United States, for the Supply of the Inhabitants and Fiſhermen of the Iſland of Newfoundland, for the then enſuing Seaſon only; provided always, that ſuch Bread, Flour, Indian Corn, and Live Stock, ſo authorized to be imported into the ſaid Iſland of Newfoundland, ſhall not be imported except in conformity to ſuch Rules, Regulations and Reſtrictions as ſhall be ſpecified in ſuch Order or Orders,

Warrant

Warrant or Warrants, reſpectively, and except by Britiſh Subjects and in Britiſh-built Ships owned by His Majeſty's Subjects, and navigated according to Law.

It is Our Royal Will and Pleaſure, and We do, by virtue of the Power veſted in Us by the ſaid Act, hereby impower you to authorize, in caſe of Neceſſity, the Importation into Newfoundland of Bread, Flour, and Indian Corn, from any of the Territories belonging to the ſaid United States of America, for the Supply of the Inhabitants and Fiſhermen of Our Iſland of Newfoundland, for the enſuing Seaſon only; provided that ſuch Bread, Flour, and Indian Corn ſo authorized to be imported into Our Iſland of Newfoundland ſhall not be imported except by Britiſh Subjects and in Britiſh-built Ships, owned by His Majeſty's Subjects, and navigated according to Law; provided alſo that ſuch Ships as aforeſaid ſhall clear out from ſome of the Ports of the ſaid Iſland for any of the ſaid United States, and ſhall be duly licenſed for that Purpoſe by you, or ſuch other Perſon or Perſons as ſhall, by an Inſtrument under your Hand and Seal, be authorized to licenſe the ſame.

And We do hereby order and direct that ſuch Licences ſo to be granted by you, or by any Perſon or Perſons duly authorized as aforeſaid, ſhall be of the like Nature, as near as the Circumſtances will admit, with thoſe which are directed to be granted to Ships clearing out from Great Britain, by an Act paſſed in the 25th Year of Our Reign, intituled, "An Act for confining, for a limited Time, the "Trade between the Ports of the United States of "America and His Majeſty's Subjects of the Iſland "of Newfoundland, to Bread, Flour and Live Stock, "to be imported in none but Britiſh-built Ships, "actually belonging to Britiſh Subjects, and navi"gated according Law, clearing out from the "Ports of His Majeſty's European Dominions, and "furniſhed with a Licence according to the Form "hereunto annexed."

And We do hereby ſtrictly charge and command you, that, in granting of ſuch Licences as aforeſaid, eſpecial Care be taken to prevent all contraband and fraudulent Trade between the Inhabitants and Fiſhermen of Our ſaid Iſland of Newfoundland, and the People belonging to the Territories of the United States of America.

AT the Court at St. *James's*, the 6th of *February*, 1795,

PRESENT,

The KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

WHEREAS it has been repreſented to His Majeſty at this Board, That, in conſequence of the Progreſs of the French Arms in the United Provinces, the Payment of Bills of Exchange drawn or negotiated in the ſaid Provinces may be deemed unlawful, by virtue of the Proviſions contained in an Act, paſſed in the laſt Seſſion of Parliament, intituled, "An Act for preventing Mo"ney or Effects in the Hands of His Majeſty's Sub"jects, belonging to or diſpoſeable by Perſons reſi"dent in France, being applied to the Uſe of the "Perſons exerciſing the Powers of Government in "France, and for preſerving the Property thereof "for the Benefit of the individual Owners thereof," and in an Act, paſſed in the ſame Seſſion, intituled, "An Act for more effectually preſerving Money or "Effects, in the Hands of His Majeſty's Subjects, "belonging to or diſpoſeable by Perſons reſident in "France, for the Benefit of the individual Owners "thereof," unleſs His Majeſty ſhall licenſe the Payment of ſuch Bills, in purſuance of the Powers given by the ſaid ſeveral Acts: His Majeſty, taking the ſame into His Royal Conſideration, is pleaſed, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, That it ſhall be lawful for any Perſon, reſiding or being in Great Britain, to pay any Bill, drawn or indorſed in any Part of the ſaid United Provinces, and ſent from the ſaid Provinces on or before the Sixteenth Day of January laſt; provided ſuch Bill ſhall have been made payable at no greater Diſtance of Time than Three Months from the Date thereof, or Three Months from Sight thereof; provided alſo, that all and every Perſon and Perſons, who ſhall take the Benefit of ſuch Licence hereby granted, ſhall ſo take the ſame, upon Condition, that in caſe of any Proceeding, Criminal or Civil, under the Proviſions of the ſaid Acts of Parliament, or either of them, for any Thing alledged to have been done contrary thereto, any Queſtion ſhall ariſe, whether the Thing ſo done was authorized by the Licence hereby given, the Proof that ſuch Thing was done under the particular Circumſtances, and according to the ſpecial Terms and Conditions required by this Order, ſhall lie on the Perſons claiming the Benefit of ſuch Licence.

W. Fawkener.

AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 11th of *February*, 1795,

PRESENT,

The KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

SHERIFFS appointed by His Majeſty in Council for the Year 1795.

Berkſhire,	William Thoyts, of Surhampſtead, Eſq;
Bedfordſhire,	John Harvey, of Ickwell, Eſq;
Bucks,	Lovell Badcock, of Little Miſſenden, Eſq;
	Cumberland,

Cumberland,	Sir James Graham, of Netherby, Bart.
Cheſhire,	James Hugh Smith Barry, of Marbury, Eſq;
Camb' & Hunt'	Thomas Quintin, of Hatley St. George, Eſq;
Devonſhire,	William Clark, of Buckland Tout Saints, Eſq;
Dorſetſhire,	Edward Greathed, of Uddings, Eſq;
Derbyſhire,	William Drury Lowe, of Lockow, Eſq;
Eſſex,	John Hanſon, of Great Bromley Hall, Eſq;
Glouceſterſhire,	Samuel Edwards, of Botham Lodge, Eſq;
Hertfordſhire,	Thomas Harding, of Tring, Eſq;
Herefordſhire,	John Green, of Cage Brooke, Eſq;
Kent,	Gabriel Harpur, of Gore Court, Eſq;
Leiceſterſhire,	Edward Muxloe, of Pickwell, Eſq;
Lincolnſhire,	Ayſcough Boucherett, of Stalingborough, Eſq;
Monmouthſhire,	Richard Morgan, of Argoed, Eſq;
Northumberland,	Cuthbert Shaftoe, of Baſington, Eſq;
Northamptonſhire,	Valentine Knightley, of Fawſley, Eſq;
Norfolk,	George Nelthorpe, of Lynford, Eſq;
Nottinghamſhire,	Jonas Bettiſon, of Holme-Pierrepont, Eſq;
Oxfordſhire,	Strickland Freeman, of Henley upon Thames, Eſq;
Rutlandſhire,	Sir Gilbert Heathcote, of Normanton, Bart.
Shropſhire,	Poſtponed.
Somerſetſhire,	Poſtponed.
Staffordſhire,	Thomas Swinnerton, of Butterton, Eſq;
Suffolk,	Jacob Whitbread, of Loudham, Eſq;
County of Southampton, Surrey,	Wither Bramſton, of Oakley Hall, Eſq;
	Thomas Turton, of Starborough Caſtle, Eſq;
Suſſex,	Francis Newberry, of Heathfield Park, Eſq;
Warwickſhire,	Francis Holyoake, of Alne, Eſq;
Worceſterſhire,	William Waldron, of Stourbridge, Eſq;
Wiltſhire,	James Mountague, of Alderton, Eſq;
Yorkſhire,	Poſtponed.

SOUTH WALES.

Carmarthen,	John Rees, of Kilymaenllwyd, Eſq;
Pembroke,	John Herbert Foley, of Ridgeway, Eſq;
Cardigan,	James Lloyd, of Mabus, Eſq;
Glamorgan,	Wyndham Lewis, of Laniſhen, Eſq;
Brecon,	Henry Skreen, of Dan y Park, Eſq;
Radnor,	Thomas Grove, of Cwmtoyddwr, Eſq;

NORTH WALES.

Merioneth,	Robert Lloyd, of Cefngoed, Eſq;
Angleſea,	John Bulkeley, of Preſaddfed, Eſq;
Carnarvon,	William Lloyd, of Penmachno, Eſq;
Montgomery,	Lawton Parry, of Welch Pool, Eſq;
Denbighſhire,	John Wynne, of Gorwenvawr, Eſq;
Flint,	Bromfield Foulkes, of Gwern y gron, Eſq;

AT a Council of His Royal Highneſs the Prince of Wales, held at Carlton Houſe the 5th Day of February, 1795,

SHERIFF appointed by His Royal Highneſs the Prince of Wales for the Year 1795.

County of Cornwall,	Ralph Allen Daniell, of Truro, Eſq;

Weſtminſter, February 13.

THIS Day the Lords being met, a Meſſage was ſent to the Honourable Houſe of Commons by Mr. Quarme, Yeoman Uſher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorized by virtue of His Majeſty's Commiſſion for declaring His Royal Aſſent to ſeveral Acts agreed upon by both Houſes, do deſire the immediate Attendance of this Honourable Houſe in the Houſe of Peers, to hear the Commiſſion read*; and the Commons being come thither, the ſaid Commiſſion, impowering the Lord Archbiſhop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and ſeveral other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Aſſent to the ſaid Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Aſſent given to

An Act for enabling His Majeſty to prohibit the Exportation and permit the Importation of Corn, and for allowing the Importation of other Articles of Proviſion for a limited Time, without Payment of Duty.

An Act for continuing an Act of the Fifteenth Year of His preſent Majeſty, for amending and widening the Road leading from Yarmouth Bridge, through the Hamlet of South Town, otherwiſe Little Yarmouth, to Gorleſton, in the County of Suffolk.

And to Two Private Bills.

Whitehall, February 14.

The King has been pleaſed to grant to the Reverend William Berkin, Bachelor of Civil Law, of Baliol College, Oxford, Rector of St. Fagan's in Glamorganſhire, and his Iſſue, His Royal Licence and Authority to aſſume, take and bear the Surname of Meackham in Addition to his preſent Name of Berkin, purſuant to the laſt Will and Teſtament of George Meackham, of Southampton-Row, in the Pariſh of St. George Bloomſbury, in the County of Middleſex, Eſq; deceaſed; and alſo to order that this His Majeſty's Conceſſion and Declaration be regiſtered in his College of Arms.

Commiſſions in the Royal Angleſey Militia, *ſigned by the Lord Lieutenant.*

William Lewis Hughes, Eſq; to be Captain of a Volunteer Company. Dated November 14, 1794.

John Hampton Jones, Eſq; to be Lieutenant of a Volunteer Company. Dated November 15, 1794.

Horſe Guards, February 14, 1795.

A Diſpatch, of which the following is an Extract, dated Deventer, January 21, 1795, has been received from the Honorable Lieutenant-General Harcourt by His Royal Highneſs the Duke of York, and communicated by His Royal Highneſs to the Right Honorable Henry Dundas, One of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State.

I HAVE the Honor to acquaint your Royal Highneſs of the Arrival of the Army in their Cantonments on the Banks of the Yſſel on the 18th Inſtant, though not without ſome Loſs, as ſome of the *Traineurs*, unable to ſupport the Fatigues of the March and the extreme Severity of the Weather, were left behind, and have probably fallen into the Hands of the Enemy.

It is a Matter of no ſmall Satisfaction to acquaint your Royal Highneſs, that we have not only ſaved all the Ordnance and moſt of the other Stores depoſited at Arnheim, but that we have burnt all the Veſſels containing Forage and Stores upon the Leck, and have deſtroyed moſt of the Ammunition contained in Fifteen Ordnance Veſſels at Rotterdam.

Horſe Guards, February 14, 1795.

A Diſpatch, of which the following is a Copy, has been received from General the Honorable Sir John Vaughan, K. B. by the Right Honorable Henry Dundas, One of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Martinico, December 18, 1794.

SIR,

THE Evacuation of Fort Matilda, Guadaloupe, was an Event to be expected; the Poſition of the Place is weak, the Ground riſing inland immediately from the Glacis. The Work, which has been added at different Times, is irregular, preſents a narrow Front to the ſtrong Ground to the Eaſtward, and has been conſtructed with bad Maſonry.

Under theſe Circumſtances, Lieutenant-General Preſcott, with a ſmall Garriſon, protracted the Siege from the 14th of October to the 10th of December. Early in December the Enemy's Batteries were increaſed ſo as greatly to exceed the Artillery of the Garriſon. Their Fire on the 6th Inſtant diſmounted all our Guns upon the Cavalier, which is the higheſt and moſt commanding Part of the Fort; the Curtain, from thence to the next Baſtion near the Town, and the Faces and Flanks of that Baſtion in many Places, threatened to fall into the Ditch; the Number of Killed and Wounded was proportional to the Effect made upon the Work; and the Place became no longer tenable.

On the Night of the 10th Inſtant, Lieutenant-General Preſcott having previouſly arranged the Order and Time of Retreat with Rear-Admiral Thompſon, the whole Garriſon was embarked without Loſs.

I have the Honor to incloſe to you the Lieutenant-General's Account of the Siege and Evacuation, by which you will be fully informed of all the attending Circumſtances.

Lieutenant-General Preſcott reports, that it has been greatly owing to the ready Aſſiſtance afforded to the Garriſon by Vice-Admiral Sir John Jervis, and ſince by Rear-Admiral Thompſon, that he was enabled ſo long to reſiſt the Efforts of the Enemy. He alſo gives the higheſt Encomiums to Captain Bowen, of His Majeſty's Ship the Terpſichore, who ſuperintended the Embarkation, and by whoſe able Diſpoſition of the Boats every Thing was managed with the moſt perfect Order and Regularity; unfortunately he was ſeverely wounded, but we hope not in ſuch a Manner as to endanger his Life.

Of the Conduct of all the Officers and Men, the Lieutenant-General makes a moſt favourable Report, expreſſive of his entire Satisfaction of their Behaviour during the Whole of the Siege.

I beg to expreſs to you my Approbation of the Conduct of Lieutenant-General Preſcott in the Defence of Fort Matilda: It has been judicious in a high Degree; and throughout the whole Tranſaction he has ſhewn the greateſt Judgment and Reſolution.

I have the Honour to be, &c.

JOHN VAUGHAN.

Right Hon. Henry Dundas,
&c. &c. &c.

On Board His Majeſty's Ship Vanguard, at Sea, December 11, 1794.

SIR,

THE Evacuation of Fort Matilda in Guadaloupe, the Defence of which devolved upon me, having unavoidably taken Place, I find it neceſſary to give you a particular Account thereof.

To enter into a minute Detail of the Siege, which commenced on the 14th of October, and terminated by evacuating it on the 10th of December, would not only too much occupy your Time, but might be deemed equally unneceſſary. It may be ſufficient to remark, that, on entering the Fort, I found it totally out of Repair, the Materials compoſing the Wall-Work thereof being of the worſt Kind, and having apparently but little Lime to cement them properly. By the Middle of laſt Month the Works were very much injured by the daily and frequent heavy Fire of the Enemy, and almoſt all the Carriages of our Guns rendered uſeleſs. Theſe were in general in a very decayed State, but even the new ones for the Braſs Mortars, that were made during the Siege, gave Way, from the almoſt inceſſant Fire we kept up; ſo that, upon the Whole, what from the Nature of our Defences, and the ſmall Number of our Garriſon, we were in a very unfit Situation to reſiſt the very vigorous Exertions of our Enemy, who began to prepare additional Forces about the 20th of laſt Month, but who, from a Number of Cauſes, and eſpecially from heavy and continued Rains, could not open their new Batteries until the 6th of this Month. On that Day they began to fire from Twenty-three Pieces of Cannon, Four of which were Thirty-ſix Pounders, and the Reſt Twenty-four, and from Eight Mortars, Two of Thirteen Inch and Two of Ten. The Fire was very heavy, and continued all Day and Night, and by it all the Guns on the Gallion Baſtion were diſmounted, and the Baſtion itſelf a Heap of Ruins. Every Day after this grew worſe until the 9th; on the Evening of which Day I went into the Ditch, accompanied by the Engineer, when we were both but too well convinced of the tottering State of the Works from the Gallion along the Curtain, and indeed the Whole, from the Eaſt to the North-Eaſt. I could not heſitate a Moment about the Neceſſity of evacuating the Fort. I therefore ſent

ſent off immediately my Firſt Aid-de-Camp, Captain Thomas, to Rear-Admiral Thompſon, who commanded the Detachment of the Squadron left for our Protection, to acquaint him with the Neceſſity there was of evacuating the Fort the next Evening, and to requeſt that he would have Boats ready to take off the Garriſon by Seven o'Clock. I kept this my Deſign a profound Secret until Half paſt Six o'Clock of the Evening of the 10th, when I arranged the March of the Garriſon.

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Two Companies of 60th Ditto, 4th Battalion, 1 killed, 11 wounded.
Marines, 1 killed, 2 wounded.
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Total. 16 killed, 78 wounded.

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SIR,

I Cannot suffer the Evacuation of Fort Matilda, in Guadeloupe, to pass over (the Defence of which was committed to me) without acquainting you with the very gallant and truly meritorious Conduct of Captain Bowen, of the Terpsichore. This Ship was, by Sir John Jervis, particularly allotted to the Protection of the Fort by Sea, and performed that Duty, from the Commencement of the Siege thereof on the 14th of October, to the Day of it's Evacuation, in a Manner that beggars all Description, to the 10th Instant, at Night. The Conduct of Captain Bowen in performing this Duty was above all Praise; his Vigilance was unremitted in covering the various Supplies of Men, Ammunition, Provisions, &c. which we had Need of during a Siege of Two Months, and received, without Loss, from his Attention and Zeal. He required but to be made acquainted with our Wants, to administer all in his Power to our Relief, and his Conduct, on this trying Occasion, has made such Impression on my Mind in his Favour, as Time cannot obliterate; and I am persuaded that the whole Garrison entertain the same Sense of his Services that I do.

I trust that the Wound which he has received in taking off the last of the Garrison in his own Boat, will not prove mortal, as thereby the King would lose a most gallant and truly deserving Officer.

I had no Acquaintance with Captain Bowen until the Commencement of this Siege, and, therefore, I trust that my thus taking the Liberty of addressing you respecting him, can be ascribed to no other Motive than the true one, an anxious Desire to pay that Tribute of Applause which is so justly due to Merit such as his.

I have the Honor to be, &c.

ROBERT PRESCOTT.

Extract of a Letter from Vice-Admiral Caldwell to Mr. Stephens, dated off Martinique, the 11*th of January*, 1795.

FOR the Information of my Lords Commissioner of the Admiralty, I enclose Two Copies of Letters received from Lieutenant Watkins, of the Blanche, with Minutes of Mr. Milne, her Second Lieutenant, who came to me Express, giving an Account of their taking the French Frigate La Pique, of 38 Guns, and 360 Men, after an Action of Five Hours, as brilliant and decided as ever happened; nor can too much Praise and Commendation be given to all the Officers and Ship's Company. Their Lordships will see by the Minutes, the judicious Manner in which the Blanche laid the Enemy on Board, and twice lashed her Bowsprit to the Blanche's Capstern, and, when the former's Main and Mizen Masts fell, she payed off before the Wind, and towed the Enemy; when the Stern Ports, not being large enough, they blew the upper Transom Beam away to admit the Guns to run out, and fired into her Bows for Three Hours. The Marines, under Lieutenant Richardson, keeping so well directed and constant a Fire, that not a Man could appear upon her Forecastle until she struck, when the Second Lieutenant and Ten Men swam on Board, and took Possession of her.

Captain Faulknor was unfortunately killed after Two Hours Action, by which His Majesty has lost an Officer as truly meritorious as the Navy of England ever had.

P. S. It appears, by a recent Account, there were many more than 360 Men on Board La Pique; One Hundred and Seventy-four are brought here, One Hundred and Ten wounded, and landed at the Saints, Seventy-six found dead on Board when she was taken Possession of: It is probable some were thrown overboard during the Action, and it is known Numbers fell with her Three Masts, and were drowned.

Copy of a Letter from Lieutenant Frederick Watkins, First Lieutenant of His Majesty's Ship Blanche, to Vice-Admiral Caldwell, dated Isle de Saints, 5th of January, 1795.

SIR,

I Take the earliest Opportunity of informing you of my Arrival here in His Majesty's Ship Blanche, with La Pique, a Frigate of 38 Guns, belonging to the National Convention of France, which Captain Faulknor brought to Action at a Quarter past Twelve A. M. Mariegalante bearing East Half South, Three Miles.

It is with the utmost Regret I have to inform you that he fell in the Action. In him His Majesty lost a brave and gallant Officer, which I most sincerely lament, as must every one who knew his Merit.

I cannot sufficiently express my Thanks to Lieutenants Milne and Prickett, also the other Officers and Ship's Company, for their cool determined Bravery on the Occasion; and am happy to add that she struck her Colours at a Quarter past Five A. M.

From the best Information I have been able to obtain the Enemy had 360 Men on Board when we brought her to Action, and I have great Reason to suppose her Loss to be about 76 killed and 110 wounded.

Inclosed I have the Honour of sending you the Return of Killed and Wounded on Board His Majesty's Ship Blanche.

I have the Honour to be, &c.

FREDERICK WATKINS,
First Lieutenant.

Killed.

Captain Robert Faulknor.
Mr. William Bolton, Midshipman.
Five Seamen and One private Marine.

Wounded.

Mr. Charles Herbert, Midshipman.
Isaac Hutchinson, Quarter-Master.
Philip Griffiths, ditto.
William Fletcher, Armourer.
George Dice, Serjeant of Marines.
Twelve Seamen and Four private Marines.

Copy of another Letter from Lieutenant Watkins to Vice-Admiral Caldwell, dated Isle de Saints, January 6, 1795.

SIR,

THE Officer who delivers this to you is Lieutenant David Milne, Second of His Majesty's Ship Blanche. I think it my Duty to inform you, that his Conduct during the Action with La Pique is deserving

ſerving every Attention you can pay him. From him you will learn all the Particulars that you may be deſirous of knowing reſpecting the Action.

I have the Honour to be, &c.

FRED. WATTKINS.

Proceedings on Board His Majeſty's Ship La Blanche.

Sunday, January 4, 1795. At Daylight ſaw a Frigate at Anchor outſide of the Harbour of Point à Pitre.

At Seven, A. M. ſhe got under Way, and kept working under her Topſails, backing her Mizen Topſail at Times to keep Company with a Schooner. We run towards her until nearly within Gun-Shot of the Fleur d'Epée, then tacked, hove to, and filled occaſionally. Finding the French Frigate not inclined to come out from the Batteries, we made Sail to board a Schooner coming down along Grande Terre. At Eleven A. M. fired a Gun, and brought her to. She proved an American from Bourdeaux, and appearing ſuſpicious, detained the Maſter, and took her in Tow. At this Time the Battery at Grozier fired Two Guns at us, and the Frigate fired ſeveral, and hoiſted her Colours; none of the Shot reached. Finding her ſtill not inclined to come out we made Sail towards Mariegalante under Topſails and Courſes.

Monday at Four, P. M. we tacked and hove to, took out the American's Crew, and ſent a Petty Officer and Men into her. Saw the Frigate ſtill under Grande Terre. At Six, P. M. wore Ship, and ſtood towards Dominique, with the Schooner in Tow. At Half paſt Eight, P. M. ſaw the Frigate about Two Leagues aſtern. Caſt off the Schooner, tacked, and made all Sail. At a Quarter paſt Twelve, A. M. paſſed under her Lee on the Starboard Tack, ſhe on the Larboard Tack, and exchanged Broadſides. At Half paſt Twelve, A. M. tacked, and came up with her faſt. When within Muſket Shot, ſhe wore with an Intention to rake us; we wore at the ſame Time, and engaged her nearly aboard. At One, A. M. put our Helm a Starboard, and run acroſs her Stern, and laſhed her Bowſprit to our Capſtern; kept firing our Quarter Deck and other Guns that would bear into her, and Muſketry, which ſhe returned from her Tops, and from her Quarter Deck Guns run in a Midſhip fore and aft. At this Time our Main and Mizen Maſts fell overboard, and they attempted to board us, but were repulſed. At a Quarter before Two, A. M. ſhe dropped aſtern, (at this Time Captain Faulknor fell.) We got a Hawſer up, and made her well faſt, with her Bowſprit abreaſt of our Starboard Quarter, the Marines keeping a conſtant Fire of Muſketry into her. Finding the Carpenters could not make the Ports large enough, we blew out as much of the upper Tranſom Beam as would admit the Two aftermoſt Guns on the Main Deck to be run out, and fired into her Bows.

At Two, A. M. all her Maſts were ſhot away. In this Situation we towed her before the Wind, engaging till a Quarter paſt Five, when they called out that they had ſtruck. The Second Lieutenant and Ten Men then ſwam on Board, and took Poſſeſſion of

La Piquè of 26	12	Pounders,
	8	9
	4	32 Carronades,

with a Number of Braſs Swivels on her Gunwales.

At the Time of the Action we had away, in Prizes, Two Maſters Mates and Twelve Men.

DAVID MILNE, Second Lieutenant.

Extract of a Letter from Vice-Admiral Caldwell to Mr. Stephens, dated off Martinique, January 15, 1795.

YOU will pleaſe to acquaint the Lords Commiſſioners of the Admiralty, that General Sir John Vaughan and myſelf think it neceſſary to ſend a Frigate to England immediately, to inform Government that, on the 6th Inſtant, a Convoy from France, under Two or Three Frigates, got into Point à Pitre, Guadaloupe.

Incloſed is a Copy of Captain Wilſon's Minutes, which is the beſt Information we have, and by which their Lordſhips will ſee that One of the Enemy's Ships was taken, the Duras, ſaid to be an old French Indiaman.

Minutes of Proceedings on Board His Majeſty's Ship Bellona, George Wilſon, Eſq. Commander, January 5, 1795.

ON Monday January 5, 1795, Latitude 16 Deg. 30 Min. Deſeada bearing Weſt, Diſtance Twelve Leagues, at Eight A. M. deſcried Two Sail ſtanding towards us; the Weather being very hazy, I could only perceive One to be a Frigate, which tacked and ſtood from us. We chaſed her with light Winds and very hazy Weather. About Twelve o'Clock I diſcovered Ten Sail to Leeward, laying to. Upon making them plain, from their Size, ſuppoſed them a French Squadron. About One o'Clock they bore up, we immediately chaſed, the Weather being very ſqually and hazy. I ſuppoſed Five of their Ships Frigates. At Five o'Clock made the Alarm's Signal to attack the Convoy, the Frigates dropped in their Rear and formed; the ſternmoſt I came up with, and began to fire, when ſhe ſtruck. I perceived Four others hauled out, apparently with an Intention to engage. At Eight o'Clock I ſent an Officer and Boat on Board the Frigate to take Poſſeſſion, and found her to be Le Duras, of Twenty Guns, Four Hundred Troops, and Seventy Seamen. They reported her in a ſinking State, during which Time I lay to, expecting the other Frigates to fetch me on the ſame Tack, when Captain Carpenter hailed me to obſerve the ſame. At Half paſt Eight I ſaw the Frigates had bore up, upon which I deſired Captain Carpenter would take Charge of the Prize, and follow with all Expedition. I immediately made Sail, but the Night was ſo dark and ſqually that I could not keep Sight of them. At Twelve o'Clock I found myſelf ſo near Deſeada that I was obliged to haul off. It blowing very hard in the Morning, I was to Leeward of Deſeada. As ſoon as I could put Men on Board the Prize I made Sail for Antigua, but could not reach St. John's that Night. In the Courſe of the Night the Prize had driven to Leeward. I ordered Captain Carpenter to carry her to St. Kitt's, and take her under Charge until further Orders. I made the beſt of my Way to Martinique, being in Want of Proviſions and Water.

L'Eſeulle, a Seventy-four, cut down, mounting Forty-ſix Guns and Five Hundred Men; L'Aſtrée, of Thirty-ſix Guns; La Leveret, Twenty Guns; La Prompte, Twenty Guns; Le Duras, Twenty Guns; and Ten armed Tranſports, ſailed from Breſt on the 17th of November laſt, with Troops and warlike Stores. The Duras has on board Field Pieces, Mortars, Shot, Shells, great Quantities of Small Arms and Entrenching Tools of all Sorts; Numbers not aſcertained.

War-Office, February 14.

1st *Regiment of Life Guards*, William Stanton, Gent. to be Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant, by Purchaſe, vice Hayes, promoted.

4th *Regiment of Foot*, Captain-Lieutenant William Montgomery to be Captain of a Company, vice Cope, promoted in the Dublin Regiment.

Lieutenant Charles Munden to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Montgomery.

Enſign Thurſton Dale to be Lieutenant, vice Munden.

7th *Ditto*, Brereton Halliburton, Gent. to be Lieutenant, vice O'Donell, promoted in the 103d Foot.

14th *Ditto*, Captain-Lieutenant Thomas Green Clapham to be Captain of a Company, vice Ramſay, promoted in the 27th Foot.

Lieutenant Lewis T. Jones, from the 57th Foot, to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Clapham.

27th *Ditto*, Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel George Gilman to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without Purchaſe, vice Buller, deceaſed.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel William Ramſay, from the 14th Foot, to be Major, vice Gilman,

John Chatterton, Gent. to be Enſign, without Purchaſe, vice Kelly, deceaſed.

Enſign Moncrieff Willoughby to be Lieutenant, without Purchaſe, vice Connor, deceaſed.

Enſign William Howe Knight, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Willoughby.

Enſign Forreſter Cooke to be Lieutenant, without Purchaſe, vice Norberry, deceaſed.

Harcourt Morton, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Cooke.

37th *Ditto*, Captain Fred. A. F. Beckwith to be Major, by Purchaſe, vice Hope, promoted.

Enſign —— Marks to be Lieutenant, vice Thompſon, promoted in the 87th Foot.

Volunteer William Hely to be Enſign, vice Marks.

45th *Ditto*, Enſign Haviland Hiley to be Lieutenant, by Purchaſe, vice Vachell, promoted in the 107th Foot.

61ſt *Ditto*, Enſign John Williams to be Lieutenant, by Purchaſe, vice Whelan, promoted.

62d *Ditto*, Serjeant-Major Samuel Tayler to be Adjutant, vice Abraham, promoted in the 116th Foot.

1ſt *Battalion of the* 78th *Foot*, Captain-Lieutenant Charles Roſe to be Captain of a Company, without Purchaſe, vice Murray, deceaſed.

Lieutenant Colin Lamont, from the 42d Foot, to be Captain-Lieutenant. vice Roſe.

87th *Regiment of Foot*, Volunteer Daniel Denahoe to be Enſign, vice Lodge, promoted.

1ſt *Battalion of the* 90th *Foot*, Volunteer —— Tapp to be Enſign, vice Ferrebee, promoted in the 2d Battalion.

92d *Regiment of Foot*, Francis Lear, Gent. to be Quarter-Maſter, without Purchaſe, vice Hollingſworth, deceaſed.

94th *Ditto*, Major Hugh L. Carmichael to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Hutchinſon, promoted.

100th *Ditto*, Lieutenant William Erſkine, from the 92d Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Roſs, promoted in the 101ſt Foot.

103d *Ditto*, Lieutenant Hugh O'Donell, from the 7th Foot, to be Captain-Lieutenant.

106th *Ditto*, Enſign Matthew Hutton, from the 110th Foot, to be Lieutenant.

117th *Ditto*, Enſign John Madocks to be Lieutenant, by Purchaſe, vice Wood, who retires.

Enſign Robert Halliday, from the Half-Pay of the late 93d Foot, to be Lieutenant.

Enſign Nathaniel Brown to be Lieutenant, vice Campbell, promoted in the 116th Foot.

Grey Teer, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Brown.

118th *Ditto*, Lieutenant W. Hungerford Luttrell, from the Half-Pay of the late 89th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Smale, who exchanges.

Corps of Waggoners ſerving with the Forces on the Continent.

John Pritchard, Gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Lunt, deceaſed.

Serjeant-Major —— Gordon, from the 3d Foot Guards, to Enſign, vice Strahan, promoted.

—— Elrington, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Snape, promoted.

INDEPENDENT COMPANIES.

Lieutenant John Carden Strong, from the 24th Foot, to be Captain of an Independent Company of Foot, by Purchaſe, vice Hamilton, who retires.

Lieutenant William Kinloch, from the 1ſt Foot, to be Captain of an Independent Company of Foot, by Purchaſe, vice Anſtruther, who retires.

Captain William T. Harwood, from the Half-Pay of the 19th Dragoons, to be Captain of an Independent Company of Foot, vice Tufnell, who exchanges.

Enſign Thomas Sims, from the Half-Pay of the Provincials, to be Enſign in Major Delaval's Independent Company of Foot, vice Wilkinſon, who exchanges.

INDEPENDENT OFFICERS.

Captain George A. Armſtrong, from the 8th Foot, to be Major of Foot.

Lieutenant John E. L. Balfour, from the 105th Foot, to be Captain of Foot, by Purchaſe, vice Murray, who retires.

INVALIDS.

Captain Hugh Munro, from the 78th Foot, to be Captain of an Independent Company of Invalids at Hull, vice Fraſer, removed to an Independent Company of Foot.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Apothecary Peter Barnard, from Half-Pay, to be Apothecary to the Forces in Great Britain.

BREVETS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army,

Major James Campbell, of the 106th Foot.

To be Majors in the Army,

Captain John Cuninghame, an Independent Officer.

Captain Philip Bainbrigge, of an Independent Company.

Portland

Rutland Corps of Gentlemen and Yeomanry.

William Berry, Gent. to be Surgeon.

Surry Regiment of Ditto.

John Chriſtopher Ridout, Gent. to be Adjutant.

Sidmouth Corps of Volunteers.

—— Coleridge, Eſq; to be Captain-Commandant, vice Pell, who reſigns.
Thomas Hodge, Gent. to be Enſign.

Whitby Corps of Volunteers.

John Blackbourne, Eſq; to be Captain of a Company.
James Atty, Eſq; to be Captain-Lieutenant.
Enſign Thomas Parkins to be Lieutenant.
—— Blackburn, Gent. to be Lieutenant.

Loyal Lynn Corps of Volunteers.

Captain Edward Everard to be Major.
Firſt Lieutenant Charles Elſden to be Captain of a Company, vice Taylor, who reſigns.
Firſt Lieutenant John Wardell to be Captain-Lieutenant.
Second Lieutenant Henry Elſden to be Firſt Lieutenant, vice Wardell.
Second Lieutenant Thomas Philip Bagge to be Firſt Lieutenant.
William Swatman, Gent. to be Second Lieutenant.
Edward Allen, Gent. to be Second Lieutenant.

St. George Hanover Square Corps of Volunteers.

Thomas Tracey, Gent. to be Quarter-Maſter.

Fiſhguard Corps of Volunteers.

Enſign Thomas James to be Lieutenant, vice Thomas, who reſigns.
William Harries, Gent. to be Enſign, vice James.

Aberdeen Corps of Volunteers.

To be Captains,

William Henderſon, Eſq;
George Symmers, Eſq;

To be Lieutenants,

Alexander Dauney, Gent.
Charles Bannerman, Gent.
Alexander Milne, Gent.
Thomas Leys, Gent.
Alexander Brebner, Gent.
Charles Gordon, Gent.

Penryn Corps of Volunteers.

Lieutenant William Harris to be Captain of a Company.
Enſign Edward Williams to be Lieutenant, vice Harris.
Enſign Richard Spargoe to be Lieutenant.
Enſign James Edgecumbe to be Second Lieutenant.
John Street, Gent. to be Enſign.
William Pellew, Gent. to be Enſign.
Thomas Adams, Gent. to be Enſign.
Robert Dillon, Gent. to be Chaplain.
John Street, Gent. to be Surgeon.

Perth Corps of Volunteers.

James Sharpe, Eſq; to be Major.

To be Captains,

James Paton, Eſq;
Thomas Marſhall, Eſq;
John Young, Eſq;

To be Firſt Lieutenants,

Charles Archer, Gent.
Thomas Black, Gent.
William Wood, Gent.

To be Second Lieutenants,

John M'Ewan, Gent.
James Proudfoot, Gent.
William Roſs, Gent.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, February 14, 1795.

NOtice is hereby given, that there will be no Drawing-Room at St. James's on Sunday during Lent.

Downing-Street, February 7.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed John Dury, of Banbury in the County of Oxford, Gentleman, to be a Maſter Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

War-Office, Dublin Caſtle, February 6, 1795.

HIS Excellency the Lord Lieutenant commands, That Militia Officers of every Deſcription, not at preſent within the Kingdom, do forthwith (notwithſtanding the Leaves of Abſence they may have obtained) join their reſpective Regiments, and that the Commanding Officers at Quarters, do by Letter, and without Loſs of Time, ſignify this His Excellency's Pleaſure to all ſuch Officers of their reſpective Corps as are now out of the Kingdom.

By His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant's Command,

MILTON.

Commiſſions in the Cheſhire Militia, *ſigned by the Lord Lieutenant.*

Hugh Foulkes, Eſq; to be Lieutenant. Dated October 4, 1794.
George French, Eſq; to be Lieutenant. Dated October 5, 1794.
Lynch Sidney Cotton, Eſq; to be Lieutenant of a Volunteer Company. Dated as above.

Commiſſions in the Leiceſterſhire Militia, *ſigned by the Lord Lieutenant.*

Enſign Smith to be Lieutenant, vice W. Grant, reſigned. Dated January 1, 1795.
Enſign Thomlinſon to be Lieutenant, vice Richard Tattam, reſigned. Dated January 2, 1795.
Thomas Webb, Gent. to be Enſign. Dated January 1, 1795.

Commiſſion in the East York Militia, *ſigned by the Lord Lieutenant.*

William Foord, Gent. to be Enſign, vice R. Creyke, reſigned. Dated October 25, 1794.

JOHN Chriſtian Curwen and Wilſon Braddyll, Eſquires, having this Day preſented their Petition to the Houſe of Commons, ſetting forth, that on the 3d Day of March, in the Year 1791, a Select Committee of this Houſe, appointed to try and determine the Merits of a Petition of the ſaid John Chriſtian Curwen and Wilſon Braddyll, and alſo of another Petition on the Part of and ſubſcribed by ſeveral other Perſons, Freemen and Citizens of the City of Carliſle in the County of Cumberland, and having a Right to vote in the Election of Citizens to ſerve in Parliament for the ſaid City, ſeverally complaining of an undue Election and Return for the ſaid City of Carliſle, reported to the Houſe their final Determination on the Merits of thoſe Petitions, and did at the ſame Time alſo report to the Houſe, that it appeared to the ſaid Select Committee, that the Merits of the ſaid Petitions did, in Part, depend upon the Right of Election for the ſaid City; and that thereupon the ſaid Committee had required the Counſel for the ſeveral Parties to deliver to the Clerk of the ſaid Committee Statements in Writing of the Right of Election for which they reſpectively contended. That in conſequence thereof the Counſel for the ſaid John Chriſtian Curwen and Wilſon Braddyll, and alſo for the ſaid other Petitioners, the Freemen and Citizens of the ſaid City of Carliſle, having a Right to vote in the Election of Citizens to ſerve in Parliament for the ſaid City, delivered in a Statement as follows: "The Counſel for the Petitioners ſtate the Right "of Election to be in the Freemen of the City of "Carliſle, duly admitted and ſworn Freemen of "the ſaid City, and deriving their Title to ſuch "Freedom by being Sons of Freemen, or by Ser-"vice of Seven Years Apprenticeſhip to a Free-"man, reſident during ſuch Apprenticeſhip within "the ſaid City, or by Election of the Mayor and "Common Council of the ſaid City, with the "Conſent and Approbation of certain Perſons "called the Fours, otherwiſe the Fours of the "Election of each of the Eight Guilds or Occu-"pations within the ſaid City, as Repreſentatives "of the whole Commonalty of the ſaid City; "they alſo ſtate, that no Perſon is entitled to be "admitted a Freeman of the ſaid City, who has "not been previouſly admitted a Brother of one "of the Eight Guilds or Occupations of the ſaid "City." That the Counſel for the Sitting Members, James Clarke Satterthwaite and Edward Knubley, Eſquires, delivered in a Statement as follows: "The Counſel for the Sitting Members "ſtate the Right of Election to be in the Freemen "of the City of Carliſle, who acquire a Title to "ſuch Freedom by being Sons of Freemen, or "by ſerving an Apprenticeſhip during Seven Years "to a Freeman, or by Election of the Mayor, Al-"dermen, Bailiffs and Capital Citizens of the ſaid "City; they alſo ſtate, that it is not neceſſary, in "order to become a Freeman of the ſaid City, to "have been previouſly admitted a Brother of one "of the Eight Guilds or Occupations within the "ſaid City." That upon the Statement delivered in by the Counſel for the ſaid ſeveral Petitioners the ſaid Select Committee determined, "That the "Right of Election, as ſet forth in the ſaid State-"ment, is not the Right of Election for the City of "Carliſle in the County of Cumberland." That upon the Statement delivered in by the Counſel for the Sitting Members the ſaid Select Committee determined, "That the Right of Election, as ſet forth "in the ſaid Statement, is not the Right of Elec-"tion for the ſaid City of Carliſle." That the ſaid Select Committee, having duly conſidered the ſaid Statements, and the Evidence adduced before them touching the Right of Election for the ſaid City of Carliſle, determined, "That the Right "of Election for the City of Carliſle, in the "County of Cumberland, is in the Freemen of "the ſaid City, duly admitted and ſworn Free-"men of the ſaid City, having been previouſly "admitted Brethren of one of the Eight Guilds "or Occupations of the ſaid City, and deriving "their Title to ſuch Freedom by being Sons of "Freemen, or by Service of Seven Years Appren-"ticeſhip to a Freeman, reſident during ſuch Ap-"prenticeſhip within the ſaid City, and in no "other." And that on or about the 12th Day of January now laſt paſt, Thomas Wilſon Morley, James Paine, Robert Murray, Edward Waſtell, John Richardſon, Robert Yarker, Thomas Wyley, John White, Richard Rowland, Joſeph Yeoward, Ralph Elliott, and Joſeph Brownrigg, preſented their Petition to the Houſe, in order to prevent the ſaid Judgment of the ſaid Select Committee from becoming final and concluſive in all ſubſequent Elections of Members of Parliament for the ſaid City, thereby ſtating they were not ſatisfied with the ſaid Reſolution, and were deſirous of being admitted Parties to oppoſe ſuch Right of Election, and to have the Benefit of the Statute in that Caſe made and provided, and praying the Houſe to take the Premiſes into Conſideration, and to grant them ſuch Relief therein as the Houſe ſhould think fit; and that the Petitioners inſiſt, that the Right of Election, which hath been deemed valid in the Judgment of the ſaid Select Committee, and in Favour of which the ſaid Select Committee ſo reported as aforeſaid, is the ancient and true Right of Election for the ſaid City of Carliſle; and therefore praying that they may be admitted as Parties to defend ſuch Right of Election, ſo reported to the Houſe as aforeſaid, according to the Form of the ſaid Statute; and that they may have ſuch further and other Relief as to the Houſe ſhall ſeem meet, and as the Nature of their Caſe may require. I do hereby give Notice that the Houſe has appointed Thurſday the Twenty-ſixth Day of February inſtant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon of the ſame Day, to take the ſaid Petition into Conſideration, at the ſame Time that the Petition of Thomas Wilſon Morley, James Paine, Robert Murray, Edward Waſtell, John Richardſon, Robert Yarker, Thomas Wyley, John White, Richard Rowland, Joſeph Yeoward, Ralph Elliot, and Joſeph Brownrigg, Citizens of the City of Carliſle, is ordered to be taken into Conſideration. Given under my Hand, the Thirteenth Day of February, One Thouſand Seven Hundred and Ninety-five.

HENRY ADDINGTON, Speaker.

SEVERAL Perſons whoſe Names are thereunto ſubſcribed, being Freemen and Citizens of the City of Carliſle in the County of Cumberland, and having a Right to vote in the Election of Citizens to ſerve in Parliament for the ſaid City, having this Day preſented their Petition to the Houſe of Commons, ſetting forth, that on the 3d Day of March in the Year 1791, a Select Committee of this Houſe, appointed to try and determine the Merits of a Petition of John Chriſtian Curwen and Wilſon Braddyll, and alſo of another Petition on the Part of and ſubſcribed by ſeveral other Perſons, Freemen and Citizens of the City of Carliſle in the County of Cumberland, and having a Right to vote in the Election of Citizens to ſerve in Parliament for the ſaid City, ſeverally complaining of an undue Election and Return for the ſaid City of Carliſle, reported to the Houſe their final Determination on the Merits of thoſe Petitions, and did at the ſame Time alſo report to the Houſe, that it appeared to the ſaid Select Committee, that the Merits of the ſaid Petitions did, in Part, depend upon the Right of Election for the ſaid City; and that thereupon the ſaid Committee had required the Counſel for the ſeveral Parties to deliver to the Clerk of the ſaid Committee Statements in Writing of the Right of Election for which they reſpectively contended. That in conſequence thereof the Counſel for the ſaid John Chriſtian Curwen and Wilſon Braddyll, and alſo for the ſaid other Petitioners, the Freemen and Citizens of the ſaid City of Carliſle, having a Right to vote in the Election of Citizens to ſerve in Parliament for the ſaid City, delivered in a Statement as follows: "The Counſel for the Petitioners ſtate the Right "of Election to be in the Freemen of the City of "Carliſle, duly admitted and ſworn Freemen of "the ſaid City, and deriving their Title to ſuch "Freedom by being Sons of Freemen, or by Ser"vice of Seven Years Apprenticeſhip to a Free"man, reſident during ſuch Apprenticeſhip within "the ſaid City, or by Election of the Mayor and "Common Council of the ſaid City, with the "Conſent and Approbation of certain Perſons "called the Fours, otherwiſe the Fours of the "Election of each of the Eight Guilds or Occu"pations within the ſaid City, as Repreſentatives "of the whole Commonalty of the ſaid City; "they alſo ſtate, that no Perſon is entitled to be "admitted a Freeman of the ſaid City, who has "not been previouſly admitted a Brother of one "of the Eight Guilds or Occupations of the ſaid "City." That the Counſel for the Sitting Members, James Clarke Satterthwaite and Edward Knubley, Eſquires, delivered in a Statement as follows: "The Counſel for the Sitting Members "ſtate the Right of Election to be in the Freemen "of the City of Carliſle, who acquire a Title to "ſuch Freedom by being Sons of Freemen, or "by ſerving an Apprenticeſhip during Seven Years "to a Freeman, or by Election of the Mayor, Al"dermen, Bailiffs and Capital Citizens of the ſaid "City; they alſo ſtate, that it is not neceſſary, in "order to become a Freeman of the ſaid City, to "have been previouſly admitted a Brother of one "of the Eight Guilds or Occupations within the "ſaid City." That upon the Statement delivered in by the Counſel for the ſaid ſeveral Petitioners the ſaid Select Committee determined, "That the "Right of Election, as ſet forth in the ſaid State"ment, is not the Right of Election for the City of "Carliſle in the County of Cumberland." That upon the Statement delivered in by the Counſel for the Sitting Members the ſaid Select Committee determined, "That the Right of Election, as ſet forth "in the ſaid Statement, is not the Right of Elec"tion for the ſaid City of Carliſle." That the ſaid Select Committee, having duly conſidered the ſaid Statements, and the Evidence adduced before them touching the Right of Election for the ſaid City of Carliſle, determined, "That the Right "of Election for the City of Carliſle, in the "County of Cumberland, is in the Freemen of "the ſaid City, duly admitted and ſworn Free"men of the ſaid City, having been previouſly "admitted Brethren of one of the Eight Guilds "or Occupations of the ſaid City, and deriving "their Title to ſuch Freedom by being Sons of "Freemen, or by Service of Seven Years Appren"ticeſhip to a Freeman, reſident during ſuch Ap"prenticeſhip within the ſaid City, and in no "others." And that on or about the 12th Day of January laſt paſt, Thomas Wilſon Morley, James Paine, Robert Murray, Edward Waſtell, John Richardſon, Robert Yarker, Thomas Wyley, John White, Richard Rowland, Joſeph Yeoward, Ralph Elliott, and Joſeph Brownrigg, preſented their Petition to the Houſe, in order to prevent the ſaid Judgment of the ſaid Select Committee from becoming final and concluſive in all ſubſequent Elections of Members of Parliament for the ſaid City, thereby ſtating they were not ſatisfied with the ſaid Reſolution, and were deſirous of being admitted Parties to oppoſe ſuch Right of Election, and to have the Benefit of the Statute in that Caſe made and provided, and praying the Houſe to take the Premiſes into Conſideration, and to grant them ſuch Relief therein as the Houſe ſhould think fit; and that the Petitioners inſiſt, that the Right of Election, which hath been deemed valid in the Judgment of the ſaid Select Committee, and in Favour of which the ſaid Select Committee ſo reported as aforeſaid, is the ancient and true Right of Election for the ſaid City of Carliſle; and therefore praying that they may be admitted as Parties to defend ſuch Right of Election, ſo reported to the Houſe as aforeſaid, according to the Form of the ſaid Statute; and that they may have ſuch further and other Relief as to the Houſe ſhall ſeem meet, and as the Nature of their Caſe may require. I do hereby give Notice that the Houſe has appointed Thurſday the Twenty-ſixth Day of February inſtant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon of the ſame Day, to take the ſaid Petition into Conſideration, at the ſame Time that the Petition of Thomas Wilſon Morley, James Paine, Robert Murray, Edward Waſtell, John Richardſon, Robert Yarker, Thomas Wyley, John White, Richard Rowland, Joſeph Yeoward, Ralph Elliot, and Joſeph Brownrigg, Citizens of the City of Carliſle, is ordered to be taken into Conſideration. Given under my Hand, the Thirteenth Day of February, One Thouſand Seven Hundred and Ninety-five.

HENRY ADDINGTON, Speaker.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, February 6, 1795.

THE Chapel Royal not being at preſent in a Condition fit for the Performance of Divine Service there, it will be performed, during Lent, at the German Chapel, in the Friary within St. James's Palace; and the Lent Sermons, on Wedneſdays and Fridays, will be preached in the ſame Chapel.

AVERAGE PRICES OF CORN,

By the Quarter of Eight WINCHESTER Bushels, and of OATMEAL per Boll of 140lbs. AVOIRDUPOIS, from the Returns received in the Week ended the 7th of February, 1795.

INLAND COUNTIES.

	Wheat.		Rye.		Barley.		Oats.		Beans.		Peaſe.		Oatmeal		Beer or Big.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
Middleſex,	61	5	35	0	34	7	25	9	40	9	49	1	17	6	—	
Surry,	62	0	37	0	35	0	26	8	48	0	50	0	—		—	
Hertford,	59	9	—		34	10	25	6	48	1	51	0	—		—	
Bedford,	58	2	37	10	32	11	23	5	48	0	—		—		—	
Huntingdon,	56	2	—		32	10	21	0	39	7	—		—		—	
Northampton,	59	0	45	0	31	2	22	9	44	8	50	0	50	10	—	
Rutland,	57	6	—		35	0	21	0	46	0	62	0	47	8	—	
Leiceſter,	60	8	47	10	35	10	23	3	48	5	65	8	27	1	—	
Nottingham,	60	8	41	6	37	1	22	0	48	2	—		31	9	—	
Derby,	60	6	—		40	4	25	2	51	0	49	0	32	7	—	
Staſford,	61	3	—		40	1	24	9	52	10	48	10	34	11	—	
Salop,	60	1	46	0	39	2	24	6	—		48	3	66	4	—	
Hereford,	58	7	44	8	38	3	24	5	58	8	61	7	63	7	—	
Worceſter,	61	0	—		39	7	30	10	51	7	—		—		—	
Warwick,	66	0	—		42	8	31	6	54	8	80	0	46	4	—	
Wilts,	55	4	—		35	0	25	10	50	6	—		—		—	
Berks,	61	5	—		33	11	26	1	43	6	48	5	—		—	
Oxford,	60	4	—		34	8	25	8	46	2	53	4	—		—	
Bucks,	59	6	—		32	8	23	8	44	0	47	9	—		—	
Brecon,	60	9	48	0	35	11	19	4	—		—		38	6	—	
Montgomery,	54	5	—		33	7	19	4	—		43	3	46	7	—	
Radnor,	59	5	—		33	7	21	7	—		—		60	5	—	

MARITIME COUNTIES.

Diſtricts.		Wheat.		Rye.		Barley.		Oats.		Beans.		Peaſe.		Oatmeal		Beer or Big.	
		s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1ſt	Eſſex,	60	8	34	0	34	2	25	2	39	6	49	0	—		—	
	Kent,	55	9	34	6	33	5	24	10	38	9	53	6	—		—	
	Suſſex,	55	4	—		34	4	24	6	—		54	0	—		—	
2d	Suffolk,	59	1	34	0	33	3	24	2	35	6	58	8	43	9	—	
	Cambridge,	53	9	35	6	31	10	19	8	38	6	—		—		—	
3d	Norfolk,	54	6	34	0	29	2	23	9	35	0	56	6	—		—	
4th	Lincoln,	54	1	41	0	33	0	19	11	40	0	72	0	—		—	
	York,	51	10	41	4	31	11	19	9	42	7	68	0	30	6	—	
5th	Durham,	52	6	44	0	—		20	7	—		—		38	2	—	
	Northumberland,	48	0	41	0	27	5	19	5	34	8	36	2	—		—	
6th	Cumberland,	54	5	44	8	28	8	18	8	—		—		36	0	—	
	Weſtmorland,	55	2	42	0	31	1	20	10	—		—		18	0	—	
7th	Lancaſter,	57	10	—		37	11	22	2	46	8	—		19	1	—	
	Cheſter,	55	10	—		37	0	22	3	—		—		18	9	—	
8th	Flint,	55	10	—		41	7	20	9	—		—		—		—	
	Denbigh,	61	0	—		41	2	17	10	48	0	48	0	38	2	—	
	Angleſea,	—		—		32	0	15	0	—		—		38	2	—	
	Carnarvon,	55	6	44	0	35	8	17	6	44	0	—		41	4	—	
	Merioneth,	61	5	—		36	0	20	0	—		—		34	5	—	
9th	Cardigan,	55	1	—		28	1	15	7	—		—		—		—	
	Pembroke,	45	7	—		30	11	16	0	—		—		—		—	
	Carmarthen,	52	0	—		30	10	15	11	—		—		—		—	
	Glamorgan,	61	2	—		34	0	18	4	—		—		—		—	
10th	Glouceſter,	60	2	—		35	6	25	8	53	4	—		—		—	
	Somerſet,	59	10	—		36	2	20	0	—		—		—		—	
	Monmouth,	64	5	—		39	11	—		—		—		—		—	
11th	Devon,	62	5	—		32	10	19	5	40	0	—		—		—	
	Cornwall,	56	2	—		29	5	16	8	—		—		—		—	
12th	Dorſet,	58	4	—		33	2	26	5	—		88	0	—		—	
	Hants,	56	10	—		35	0	24	10	44	6	—		—		—	

AVERAGE of ENGLAND and WALES.

Per Quarter,	57	9	40	7	34	7	22	1	45	2	57	8	38	4	—		

AVERAGE PRICE, by which EXPORTATION and BOUNTY are to be regulated, computed according to the Directions of the Corn Acts of the 31ſt and 33d of GEO. III.

	Wheat, per Qr.		Rye, per Qr.		Barley, per Qr.		Oats, per Qr.		Beans, per Qr.		Peaſe, per Qr.		Oatmeal, per Bull.		Beer or Big, per Qr.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1ſt Diſtrict, - - -	57	6	*40	7	34	0	24	0	39	6	46	2	*38	4	—	—
2d - - - -	57	9	34	9	33	0	22	10	36	5	58	8	43	9	—	—
3d - - - -	54	6	34	0	29	3	23	9	35	0	56	6	*38	4	—	—
4th - - - -	52	7	41	0	32	1	19	11	39	10	72	0	31	6	—	—
5th - - - -	50	3	42	0	27	5	19	10	34	8	36	2	38	2	—	—
6th - - - -	54	8	43	9	29	7	19	6	*45	2	*55	8	27	0	—	—
7th - - - -	57	3	*40	7	37	8	22	3	46	8	*55	8	19	0	—	—
8th - - - -	58	4	44	0	38	1	17	11	46	0	48	0	38	0	—	—
9th - - - -	53	3	*40	7	30	11	16	3	*45	2	*55	8	*38	4	—	—
10th - - - -	61	1	*40	7	37	0	24	3	53	4	*55	8	*38	4	—	—
11th - - - -	59	7	*40	7	31	0	18	6	40	0	*55	8	*38	4	—	—
12th - - - -	57	6	*40	7	34	3	25	7	44	6	88	0	*38	4	—	—

N. B. The Figures againſt which Aſteriſks are placed are the general Average Prices of all England.

Publiſhed by Authority of Parliament,

JOHN JAMES CATHERWOOD, *Receiver of Corn Returns.*

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF SUGAR,

Computed from the RETURNS made in the Week ending the 11th Day of February, 1795,

is *Fifty-three Shillings and Ten Pence Farthing*
per HUNDRED WEIGHT,

Excluſive of the Duty of Cuſtoms paid or payable thereon, on the IMPORTATION thereof into GREAT BRITAIN.

By Authority of Parliament,

Grocers Hall,
February 14, 1795.

RICHARD WHALLEY BRIDGMAN,
Clerk of the Grocers Company.

General Poſt-Office, February 7, 1795.

NOtice is hereby given, that in conſequence of an Application from ſeveral Merchants of London, the Mails of Letters made up at this Office for Holland on the 13th, 16th and 20th of January laſt, are detained by Warrant of One of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, until His Majeſty's further Order; and that an Application will be immediately made to Parliament to authorize the Poſt-Maſter-General to return ſuch of the ſaid Letters as ſhall be applied for by the Writers thereof, or by any Perſons duly authorized to make ſuch Application in their Behalf. As ſoon as the Mode of ſuch Application ſhall be ſettled by Act of Parliament, due Notice will be given thereof from this Office.

By Command of the Poſt-Maſter General,
Anth. Todd, *Secretary.*

General Poſt-Office, January 24, 1795.

IN Conſequence of the preſent Interruption to the Correſpondence between this Country and Holland, a Communication will be immediately opened by His Majeſty's Packet-Boats between Yarmouth and the Elbe, and the Mails will be made up and diſpatched from this Office every Tueſday and Friday Night as uſual; and as the Letters to and from all Parts of Europe, except Spain and Portugal, will now be ſent through this Channel, it is neceſſary to inform the Public, that from this Time, the Poſtage of all Letters to Holland or Flanders, muſt be paid before-hand, the ſame as to Hamburgh, or all Parts of Germany, and the North of Europe, at the Rate of One Shilling each ſingle Letter, Two Shillings double, Three Shillings treble, and Four Shillings the Ounce, without which they cannot be forwarded; and the ſame Rates are to be paid for all Letters from thoſe Countries.

Beſides the foregoing Rates of Foreign Poſtage, it will be neceſſary, as uſual, to pay at the Office in Great Britain or Ireland, where ſuch Letters are put in, the full Port to London.

By Command of the Poſtmaſter-General,
Anth. Todd, *Sec.*

London Aſſurance Houſe, February 11, 1795.

THE Court of Directors of the London Aſſurance Corporation hereby give Notice, that their Tranſfer Books will be ſhut on Thurſday the 5th of March next; that a General Court of the ſaid Corporation will be held at their Houſe in Birchin-lane, on Wedneſday the 25th of the ſaid Month, at One in the Afternoon, to conſider of a Dividend; and that the Tranſfer Books will be opened again on Thurſday the 9th of April following.

A General Quarterly Meeting of the Truſtees for Repairing and Amending the Turnpike Roads in the Counties of Surrey and Suſſex is appointed to be held at the Three Tuns Tavern, St. Margaret's Hill, Southwark, on Thurſday the 26th Day of February, 1795, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, to chuſe Truſtees in the Room of thoſe who are dead, removed, or refuſe to act; to appoint Collectors of the Tolls; and upon other Affairs relating to the Truſt.

George Thankſton, *Clerk.*

Whitehall, February 13, 1795.

WHereas it has been humbly repreſented to the King, that, at about Eleven o'Clock in the Night of the 7th of December, 1794, a Barn called Sunwool Barn, ſituate at Heyſhott in the County of Suſſex, belonging to Mr. John Newman, of Cocking, was diſcovered to be on Fire, and totally conſumed, with a Quantity of Corn therein, and there are very ſtrong Reaſons to ſuſpect that the ſaid Barn was maliciouſly ſet on Fire by ſome Perſon or Perſons unknown.

His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſon or Perſons concerned in ſetting Fire to the Barn abovementioned, is hereby pleaſed to promiſe his moſt gracious Pardon to any one of them, (except the Perſon who actually ſet Fire thereto) who ſhall diſcover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein, ſo that he, ſhe or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

PORTLAND.

And, as a further Encouragement, a Reward of ONE HUNDRED and FIFTY POUNDS is hereby offered to any Perſon making ſuch Diſcovery as aforeſaid, (except as is before excepted) to be paid upon Conviction of any One or more of the Offenders, by Mr. Richard Cobden, Bailiff of the Borough of Midhurſt.

And, as a yet farther Encouragement, an additional Reward of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS is alſo hereby offered to any Perſon making ſuch Diſcovery (except as aforeſaid) to be paid on the abovementioned Conviction, by the Sun Fire Inſurance-Office.

Th. Watts, *Secretary.*

Admiralty-Office, February 9, 1795.

THESE are to give Notice, that a General Court of the Governors of the Charity for the Relief of Poor Widows of Commiſſion and Warrant Officers of the Royal Navy will be held at this Office on Thurſday the 26th Inſtant, in order to chooſe Two Vice Preſidents and Fifteen Aſſiſtants for the Year enſuing.

London, February 9, 1795.

NOtice is hereby given, that an Account of the Sale of the Cargoes of the Verundring and Twee Giſberts, taken by His Majeſty's Sloop Ferret, Captain William Nowell, will be depoſited in the Regiſtry of the High Court of Admiralty, agreeable to Act of Parliament.

Oſborn Standret, *London,*
George Lawrence, } *Deal,* } *Agents.*
John Iggulden, }

London, February 13, 1795.

NOtice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majeſty's Sloop Savage, Alexander Fraſer, Eſq; Captain, who were on Board on the 12th of March, 1793, at the Capture of the Glucklicke Weiderhunſt, that an Account of the Sales for the ſaid Prize is delivered into the High Court of Admiralty, purſuant to an Act of Parliament.

Fra Wilſon, *Agent.*

London, February 10, 1795.

NOtice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of His Majeſty's Ships St. Alban's, Ardent, Caſtor and Mermaid, who were actually on Board at the Time of the Recapture of the Spaniſh Brig Sacra Famiglia, on the 7th Day of June, 1793, that they will be paid their reſpective Shares ariſing therefrom (an Account of which hath been depoſited in the Regiſtry of the Vice-Admiralty Court at Gibraltar) by Meſſ. Poulain and Keys, No. 48, Baſinghall-Street, on Thurſday the 19th Inſtant; and the Shares not then demanded will be recalled at the ſame Place every Thurſday for Three Years to come.

John M'Arthur,
of Portſmouth, one of the Agents.

STATE LOTTERIES.

Stamp-Office, Somerſet-Place, February 6, 1795.

HIS Majeſty's Commiſſioners for managing the Stamp Duties do hereby give Notice, that the following are the only Perſons who are duly licenſed by them for ſelling Tickets in the preſent State Lotteries:

Banniſter Richard, Pope's Head Alley, Cornhill.
Branſcomb James, and Biſh Thomas, No. 11. Holborn, No. 187. Fleet-ſtreet, and No. 4. Cornhill.
Brucksſhaw John and Capel John, Royal Exchange, Cornhill.
Bye George, No. 110. Newgate-ſtreet.
Carroll John, High-ſtreet, Shadwell, and No. 26. Oxford-ſtreet.
Cooper John, Pope's Head Alley, Cornhill.
Galley William and Beardmore John, Piccadilly.
Graham Robert, No. 8. Cornhill.
Harriſon George, Piccadilly.
Hazard Robert, Burne Thomas, Warner Edward, and Burne Thomas the younger, Royal Exchange, Cornhill.
Hodges Richard, No. 149. Oxford-ſtreet.
Hodges William, No. 117, Pall-Mall.
Hornſby Thomas, Cornhill.
Johnſon John, Pope's Head Alley, Cornhill.
Mackintoſh Edward and Goodman Joſeph, No. 131, Fleet-ſtreet.
Maddiſon John, Charing-croſs.
Marter Edward, No. 54. Long-Acre.
Meyler William, City of Bath.
Nicholſon William, Bank-ſtreet, Cornhill.
Northall Thomas, No. 75. New Bond-ſtreet
Norton James, City of Briſtol.
O'Hara Daniel, No. 23. Piccadilly.
Reeve John, No. 9. Charing croſs.
Richardſon Peter, Goodluck Robert, and Arnull George, Cornhill and Charing-croſs.
Roſſiter William, No. 103. Cornhill.
Scott Frederick, St. James's-ſtreet.
Scott William and Smith Thomas, City of Edinburgh.
Shower John, No. 71. New Bond-ſtreet.
Simmons James, Kirkby Henry, and Jones John, City of Canterbury.
Strong Thomas, No. 227. High Holborn.
Thomſon James, Thomſon John, and Thomſon John the younger, Edinburgh.
Turner George, No. 59. Biſhopſgate-ſtreet.
Weller William, No. 274. Oxford-ſtreet.
Wenham John, Poultry and City of Norwich.
White John and Forreſt Daniel, City of Edinburgh.
Wilkie Thomas, St. Paul's Church-yard, Norwich, Exeter, and Liverpool.
Winpenny Joſeph, City of Briſtol.
Wright Stephen, Charing-Croſs.

By Order of the Commiſſioners,
John Brettell, *Secretary.*

EFFECTS of DECEASED OFFICERS and SOLDIERS of the Bengal Eſtabliſhment.

Eaſt India Houſe, February 12, 1795.

THE Governor-General in Council at Fort William, in Bengal, having, in Addition to the 13th Section of the Articles of War, framed Regulations for the more effectual Preſervation of the Effects of deceaſed Officers and Soldiers of that Eſtabliſhment, by which the Amount of ſuch Effects is directed to be depoſited in the Company's Treaſury there; and the Governor-General in Council, by the above Regulations, having recommended that, in all Caſes in future, where there is no Executor or Adminiſtrator of the Deceaſed in India, the Name and Rank of the deceaſed Officer or Soldier ſhould be publiſhed in England, together with the Amount of the Effects depoſited, for the Information of the legal Repreſentatives of the Deceaſed;

The Court of Directors do therefore give Notice, that they have received the following Account of Sums remaining

maining in Deposit in the Company's Treasury in Bengal on the 6th of May last; and that the legal Representatives of the Parties deceased may claim the Sums respectively due, at the Auditor's Office at this House.

When deposited.	Estate of	Amount. £	s.	d.
1792.				
Nov. 6.	Lieutenant Wm. Evans	105	18	9
28.	Serjeant Mooney - -	231	2	3
Dec. 3.	Serjeant M'Intyre - -	10	11	5½
7.	Lieutenant Bullivant -	44	11	11
18.	Serjeant Gordon - -	53	18	0
1793.				
March 4.	Lieutenant George Jones	113	9	0½
7.	Lieutenant John Tailour	21	8	1
18.	Lieutenant P. Kelly -	58	16	10
	Silvester Sheen (Gunner)	6	12	1
May 4.	C. Fairman (Private) -	0	13	10
June 3.	William Breddle (Ditto)	0	10	8½
	Thomas Robertson (Ditto)	0	4	0
	William Smith (Ditto) -	0	1	8½
Sept. 2.	Lieutenant George Ramsay	172	16	2
10.	R. Farinder - -	0	11	8
Nov. 6.	James Colden (Conductor of Ordnance) - -	15	8	10
Dec. 27.	T. B. Rock (Lieutenant)	81	5	5½
	T. Watkins (Private) -	0	3	10
1794.				
Feb. 19.	Lieutenant T. B. Rock -	91	1	4
	D. Morgan (Corporal) -	12	11	9
	R. Warren (Private) -	3	17	4½

William Ramsay, Secretary.

East India House, February 12, 1795.

THE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies do hereby give Notice

That the Transfer Books of the said Company's Stock will be shut on Tuesday the 3d of March next, at Two o'Clock, and opened again on Thursday the 9th of April following.

That a Quarterly General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall-Street, on the 25th of March next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon.

That a General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall-Street, on Wenesday the 8th of April next, from Nine o'Clock in the Morning until Six in the Evening, for the Election of Six Directors of the said Company for Four Years.

And that the Lists of the Members of the said Company will be ready to be delivered on the 23d of said March.

, William Ramsay, *Secretary.*

London, February 12, 1795.

NOtice is hereby given, that a General Court of Elections of the Corporation called the Governor and Company for working of Mines, Minerals and Metals in that Part of Great Britain called Scotland will be held at the Sun Fire-Office in Bank-street, Cornhill, on Thursday the 2d Day of April next, from Twelve to Two in the Afternoon, in order to chuse a Governor, Deputy Governor, and Directors for the Year ensuing; and that the Transfer Books of the said Company will be shut on Thursday the 19th Day of March, and will be opened again on Thursday the 9th Day of April.

NOtice is hereby given, that the Partnership between William Ward and James Ward, of Wood-Street, Spitalfields, Weavers, will expire on the 20th Day of February instant; and all Debts due to and from the Partnership are from thenceforth to be received and paid by the said William Ward; as witness our Hands, this 12th Day of February, 1795.

Will. Ward.
James Ward.

Kidderminster, December 31, 1794.

THE Partnership lately subsisting between Joseph Berwick, Henry Wakeman, Thomas Farley and Jacob Turner, under the Firm of Berwick, Wakeman, Farley and Turner, of Kidderminster, Bankers, is this Day dissolved by mutual Consent, as to the said Joseph Berwick.

Joseph Berwick.
Henry Wakeman.
Thomas Farley.
Jacob Turner.

London, February 9, 1795.

NOtice is hereby given, that the Copartnership carried on by Thomas Ashmore, sen. John Keeling, Thomas Ashmore, jun. and Nathaniel Living, under the Firm of Ashmore, Keeling and Co. is this Day dissolved by mutual Consent. All Persons who are indebted to the said Copartnership are desired to pay the same to Thomas Ashmore, sen. or John Keeling, or to any Person or Persons whom they shall appoint: And all Debts owing from the said Copartnership will be discharged at the Counting-House in King-Street.

Tho. Ashmore, sen.
J. Keeling.
Tho. Ashmore, jun.
Nat. Living.

THE Copartnership lately subsisting between Robert Higham and Joseph Pilkington, both of Chorley in the County Palatine of Lancaster, Cotton-Spinners, carried on in Chorley aforesaid, under the Firm of Higham and Pilkington, was, by mutual Consent of both the said Partners, dissolved on the 22d Day of January instant; and all Debts owing by or to the said Copartnership will be paid and received by the said Joseph Pilkington; as witness their Hands this 26th Day of January, 1795.

Robert Higham.
Joseph Pilkingoon.

ALL Persons having any Claims or Demands on the Estate of George Meacham, formerly of Drake-Street, in the Parish of St. George the Martyr in the County of Middlesex, but late of Southampton-Row, in the Parish of St. George, Bloomsbury, in the same County, Esq; deceased, are desired forthwith to send an Account thereof to Rowland Stephenson, of Lombard-Street, London, Banker, one of his Executors; and all Persons indebted to the Estate are desired to pay the Amount of their Debts to the said Rowland Stephenson.

ALL Persons having any Claim or Demand whatsoever on the Estate and Effects of Mrs. Elizabeth Mills, late of West Drayton in the County of Middlesex, Widow, deceased, or on the Estate of Mr. Allen Mills, of the same Place, Paper-Maker, are desired to send an Account of the same on or before the 12th Day of March next, to Mr. Hodder, Attorney, at Uxbridge, Middlesex, or to the Office of Messr. Clark and Hodder, in Wardrobe Place, Doctors Commons, in order that the same may be adjusted and discharged out of the Money arising from the Sale of certain Estates at West Drayton, lately sold for the Payment thereof, and other Purposes.

THE Estate and Effects of B. R. Haydon, of Plymouth, Stationer, having assigned over to Thomas Wilkinson, of Lad-Lane, London, Merchant, and Bedwell Law, of Ave-Maria-Lane, London, Bookseller, upon Trust for the Benefit of such of his Creditors as should execute the said Trust Deed; Notice is hereby given, that a Dividend of the said Trust Estate will be made and ready to be paid to such of the said Creditors as shall have executed the said Deed on the 25th Day of March next; and such Creditors as shall not, before that Day, have called at No. 5, Stationers-Court, Ludgate-Street, and executed the said Deed, or signify their Consent, will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

London, February 11, 1795.

WHereas there is Reason to apprehend from the Accounts of John Fannin, late of Gangam in the East Indies, Esq; deceased, that a Sum of Money remains due from his Estate to the Representatives of Bartholomew Collins, late of the same Place, Mariner, also deceased: Notice is hereby given, that unless such Representatives apply for the same to Richard Dann, of Threadneedle-Street, London, Solicitor, and entitle themselves thereto within Six Months from the Date hereof, the same will be distributed by the Executors as Part of the Estate of the said John Fannin.

PUrsuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cause Tutet against Tutet, the Creditors and Legatees of Mark Cephas Tutet, late of Pudding-Lane, in the City of London, Merchant, deceased, are forthwith to come in and prove their respective Debts and claim their Legacies before Peter Holford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-Inn, Chancery-Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, bearing Date the 20th Day of February, 1792, made in a Cauſe Want and others againſt Cox and others, the Creditors of John Southcote, late of Highgate in the County of Middleſex, Eſq; are, on or before the 3d Day of March next, to come in and prove their Debts before Edward Montagu, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-Inn, Chancery-Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, bearing Date the 10th of December, 1794, made in a Cauſe wherein Robert Heineken Hughes and others are Plaintiffs and Sir James Sanderſon, Baronet, is Defendant, the Creditors of Suſanna Heineken, who died in the Year 1778, and was the Widow of Herman Heineken, formerly of Watling-Street, in the City of London, Doctor of Phyſic, deceaſed, are forthwith to come in before Edward Montagu, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-Inn, Chancery-Lane, London, and prove their Debts, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, bearing Date the 10th Day of December, 1794, made in a Cauſe wherein Robert Heineken Hughes and others are Plaintiffs and Chriſtian Heineken and others are Defendants, the Creditors of Herman Heineken, late of Watling-Street in the City of London, Doctor of Phyſic, who died in or about the 16th Day of June, 1772, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before Edward Montagu, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-Inn, Chancery-Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

TO be peremptorily ſold, purſuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cauſe wherein Frances Amler, an Infant, by her next Friend, is Plaintiff, and Sarah Amler, Widow, is Defendant, at the Lion Inn in the Town of Shrewſbury, by John Hodges, of the Town of Shrewſbury, Auctioneer, the Perſon appointed by Alexander Popham, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, for that Purpoſe, on Saturday the 28th Day of February inſtant, between the Hours of Three and Four in the Afternoon of the ſame Day, in Two Lots, Several Timber Trees, now ſtanding and growing on the Eſtate of the Plaintiff, the Infant, ſituate in the Townſhip of Uppington in the County of Montgomery, and in the Townſhips of Trefnant and Winnington in the County of Salop. Lot 1. Conſiſting of 662 Oak Timber Trees and 41 Cyphers. Lot 2. Conſiſting of 305 Oak Timber Trees and 150 Cyphers. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers, and of the ſaid Mr. John Hodges, of Shrewſbury.

N. B. Mr. John Smith, the Tenant at Uppington, and Mr. Lloyd, at Trefnant aforeſaid, will ſhew the Timber.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Joſeph Tombs, of Abingdon, in the County of Berks, Banker, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt on the 16th Day of February inſtant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the New Inn, in Abingdon aforeſaid, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid proſecuting or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; or to the compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Dench, late of Springfield in the County of Eſſex, Common-Brewer, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt on the 19th Day of February inſtant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Meſſ. Murrell's and Hartley's, the Black Boy Inn, in Chelmsford in the ſaid County of Eſſex, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Kimberley, of New Windſor in the County of Berks, Painter, Plumber and Glazier, are deſired to meet on Monday, the 16th Day of March next, at the White Hart Inn in New Windſor, at Eleven in the Forenoon, to aſſent to or diſſent from certain Propoſitions then to be made relative to the Diſpoſal of the ſaid William Kimberley's Eſtate and Effects: All Perſons who are indebted to the Eſtate of the ſaid William Kimberley are hereby deſired forthwith to pay the Balance of their Accounts to Meſſ. Ramſbottom and Baverſtock, of New Windſor aforeſaid, Aſſignees to the ſaid William Kimberley.

PUrſuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Alexander Lord Loughborough, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for Richard Stayner Jones, of Eaſt Wickham in the County of Kent, Brick-Maker, Dealer and Chapman, (a Bankrupt) to ſurrender himſelf, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects for Forty-nine Days, to be computed from the 14th Day of February inſtant; This is to give Notice, that the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named and authorized, or the major Part of them, intend to meet on the 4th Day of April next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; where the ſaid Bankrupt is required to ſurrender himſelf between the Hours of Eleven and One of the ſame Day, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, and finiſh his Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, may then and there come and prove the ſame, and aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt, bearing Date on or about the 9th Day of December, 1794, was awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Faulkner, now or late of Mancheſter in the County of Lancaſter, Fuſtian-Manufacturer; This is to give Notice, that the ſaid Commiſſion is, under the Great Seal of Great Britain, ſuperſeded.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Joſeph Grimwood, of Bury St. Edmund's in the County of Suffolk, Innholder, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 9th, 10th and 28th Days of March next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, on each Days, at Mr. Anderſon's, the Angel Inn, in Bury St. Edmund's aforeſaid, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. John Pate, Attorney, Bury St. Edmund's aforeſaid, or to his Agent Mr. William Browne, Bedford-Row, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt John King, of Newcaſtle in the County of Stafford, Liquor-Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 27th Day of February inſtant, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, on the 28th of the ſame Month, at Eleven in the Forenoon, and on the 28th Day of March next, at One of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Red Lion Inn, in Coleſhill, in the County of Warwick, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and he Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Meſſ. Kinderley and Long, Attornies, Symond's-Inn, London, or Mr. Charles Palmer, Attorney, Coleſhill, Warwickſhire.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Adam Scott and John Robſon, of Maid-Lane, Southwark, in the County of Surry, Brewers, Dealers, Chapmen and Copartners, and they being declared Bankrupts are hereby required to ſurrender themſelves to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 19th Day of February inſtant, at Ten in the Forenoon, on the 3d of March next, at Twelve at Noon, and on the 28th of the ſame Month, at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of their Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupts are required to finiſh their Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of their Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupts, or that have any of their Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Meſſ. Croſs and Green, Snow's-Fields, Southwark.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued againſt William Gough, of Kingſwood in the County of Wilts, Maltſter and Baker, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 23d and 24th Days of February inſtant, at the Old Bell, in Durſley in the County of Glouceſter, and on the 28th Day of March next, at the Star, in Wootton Underedge, in the ſame County, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon on each Day, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure

cloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Benjamin Price, Attorney, No. 9, Lincoln's-Inn Old Buildings, London, or to Mr. Thomas Biddle, Attorney, in Wootton Underedge aforeſaid.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Gregory, of Frome Selwood in the County of Somerſet, Collar-Maker, Sadler, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 26th and 27th Days of February inſtant, and on the 28th Day of March next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon on each Day, at the Crown Inn, Frome Selwood, in the ſaid County, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Bowden, in Frome Selwood aforeſaid, or Meſſ. Croſfield and Moore, Saliſbury-Street, Strand.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Robert Remington, of Maidſtone in the County of Kent, Shoemaker, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 27th and 28th Days of February inſtant, and on the 28th Day of March next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Ruſſen, Crown-Court, Alderſgate-Street, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Gilman, of Furnival's Inn in the City of London, and of Pitfield-Street, Hoxton, in the County of Middleſex, Money Scrivener, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 27th and 28th Days of February inſtant, and on the 28th Day of March next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Morton, Furnival's Inn.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Thomas Elwell, of Walmer-Lane in the Pariſh of St. Martin in Birmingham, in the County of Warwick, Coal-Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 25th Day of February inſtant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, on the 26th of the ſame Month, and on the 28th Day of March next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Mary Lloyd's, in the High-Street, Birmingham aforeſaid, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Stewart, Attorney, near Birmingham aforeſaid.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Cole, of Chippenham in the County of Wilts, Hatter, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 23d and 24th of February inſtant, and on the 28th of March next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at the Angel Inn, in Chippenham aforeſaid, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. John Heath, of Chippenham aforeſaid.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Charles Rathbone, of Manchester, in the County of Lancaſter, Timber-Merchant, Houſe-Builder, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 27th and 28th Days of February inſtant, and on the 28th Day of March next, at Three in the Afternoon at Spencer's Tavern, in Manchester aforeſaid, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Foulkes, Attorney, Manchester, or to Meſſ. Foulkes and Cooke, Attornies, Market-Square, Bloomſbury, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Faulkner and George Faulkner, now or late of Manchester in the County of Lancaſter, Cotton-Spinners, Dealers, Chapmen and Copartners, and they being declared Bankrupts are hereby required to ſurrender themſelves to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 2d, 3d and 28th of March next, at Ten in the Forenoon on each Day, at the Bridgewater Arms in Manchester aforeſaid, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of their Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupts are required to finiſh their Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of their Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupts, or that have any of their Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Meſſ. George and William Nabb, Attornies in Manchester.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Joſeph Lowe, of the City of Cheſter, Breeches Maker, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 26th and 27th Days of February inſtant, and on the 28th Day of March next, at Four in the Afternoon on each Day, at the Feather's Tavern in the ſaid City, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. D. F. Jones in Cheſter, or Meſſ. Parker and Hawkſworths, Chancery-Lane, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Charles Northbrook, of Piccadilly in the County of Middleſex, Stable-Keeper, Hackneyman, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 21ſt Day of February inſtant, at Twelve at Noon, on the 28th Day of the ſame Month, at One in the Afternoon, and on the 28th Day of March next, at Twelve at Noon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Meſſ. Vandercom and Grant, Bush-Lane, Cannon-Street, London.